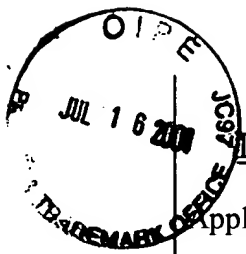


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully petition(s) for a 2-month extension of time within which to respond to the March 14, 2001 outstanding Office Action, such extension allowing the undersigned until July 16, 2001, since July 14, 2001 falls on a Saturday, to respond.

Please charge the amount of \$390.00 as set forth in the enclosed transmittal letter.

Respectfully submitted,

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